

CIRCUIT RULE 26.1 DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
(formerly known as Certificate of Interest)

Appellate Court No: _____

Short Caption: _____

To enable the judges to determine whether recusal is necessary or appropriate, an attorney for a non-governmental party or amicus curiae, or a private attorney representing a government party, must furnish a disclosure statement stating the following information in compliance with Circuit Rule 26.1 and Fed. R. App. P. 26.1. **Each attorney is asked to complete and file a Disclosure Statement with the Clerk of the Court as soon as possible after the appeal is docketed in this Court. Counsel is required to complete the entire statement and to use N/A for any information that is not applicable.**

- (1) The full name of every party that the attorney represents in the case (if the party is a corporation, you must provide the corporate disclosure information required by Fed. R. App. P 26.1 by completing item #3):

- (2) The names of all law firms whose partners or associates have appeared for the party in the case (including proceedings in the district court or before an administrative agency) or are expected to appear for the party in this court:

- (3) If the party or amicus is a corporation:

- i) Identify all its parent corporations, if any; and

- ii) list any publicly held company that owns 10% or more of the party's or amicus' stock:

The Court prefers that the disclosure statement be filed immediately following docketing; but, the disclosure statement must be filed with the principal brief or upon the filing of a motion, response, petition, or answer in this court, whichever occurs first. The attorney furnishing the statement must file an amended statement to reflect any material changes in the required information. The text of the statement (i.e. caption omitted) shall also be included in front of the table of contents of the party's main brief.

Attorney's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Attorney's Printed Name: _____

Address: _____

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